

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

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| 1. DATE 9 Apr 58 | | 2. LOCATION Thurston-Pierce counties, Wash. | | 12. CONCLUSIONS <input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Was Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Aircraft <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical Venus <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown | |
| 3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 09/1316Z | | 4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Intercept Radar | | | |
| 5. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No | | 6. SOURCE Civilian | | | |
| 7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 15 mins | | 8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one | | 9. COURSE stationary | |
| 10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING White, triangular obj, very bright. | | | | 11. COMMENTS Practically exact positions of Venus at that time. Observation at dawn. | |

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RR RJEDDN RJEDSQ RJEPHQ

DE RJWPDM 74A

R 081550Z

FM COMDR 25TH CADD

TO RJEDDN/COMDR NORAD

RJEDSQ/COMDR AIR TECHNICAL INTEL CEN

ZEN/COMDR 25 CADD

RJEPHQ/G2 HQ USAF WASH D C

RJEPHQ/OFFICE OF INFORMATION SERVICES HQ USAF WASH DC

BT

/UNCLAS/25CADDTAC D-31

I. 1. TRIANGULAR

2. PIN HEAD

3. WHITE (BRIGHT)

4. ONE

5. N/A

6. N/A

7. NONE

8. NONE

9. NONE

Where
red
the
man

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II. 1. ONLY BRIGHT LIGHT IN THE SKY

2. 50 DEGREES ELEVATION 090 DEGREES AZIMUTH

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5. FADED

6. 0516 PST TO 0530 PST 14 MIN.

Astro tales check out
good. Only way
bright at night
sky

Amo: 1/2
Pos: 1/2
Thru: 1/2
Ves: 1/2

Contradictory 5TH text

Clues

1/2

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III.

1. VISUAL 2. NONE 3. NONE

IV. 1. 09/1316Z 2. DAWN

V. 1. SEVEN MILES CORNER HIWAY 99

VI. 1. THURSTON CO. SHERIFF OFFICE

PIERCE CO. SHERIFF OFFICE

VII.

1. GOOD 2. 260 - 25

270 - 25

280 - 35

290 - 50

290 - 75

290 - 45

3. CLEAR 290 - 15

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4. 50 MILES 5. 1/10 6. NONE

VIII. NONE

IX. NONE

X. NONE

XI.

XII. NONE

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ATTC Findings:

Castro chart, command
and planet computer
has - shows

Almost
Position
Rising planet
Versus
Contradictory statements!
Note: The
usual "public
child" dawn
when the mag.
of these things
had been

XII. NONE

BT

09/1557Z APR RJWPDM

ATC Findings:

Actual - Astro chart, camera
and planned computer
checks - shows
that the angles of
azimuth & direction,
elevations practically
comparable with
the position of Venus
now a very bright
object - in the
dawn

JOINT MESSAGEFORM

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION

Unclassified

SPACE BELOW RESERVED FOR COMMUNICATION CENTER

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| PRECEDENCE ROUTINE | TYPE MSG (Check) BOOK <input type="checkbox"/> MULTI <input type="checkbox"/> SINGLE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | ACCOUNTING SYMBOL AF | ORIG. OR REFERS TO 25CADDTAC D-31 | CLASSIFICATION OF REFERENCE UNCL |
| ACTION | | | | |
| INFO | | | | |

FROM:

COMDR, ATIC

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

TO:

COMDR, 25TH CADD, McCHORD AFB, WASH. RTW82m

UNCLASSIFIED/FROM: AFCIN-4E4

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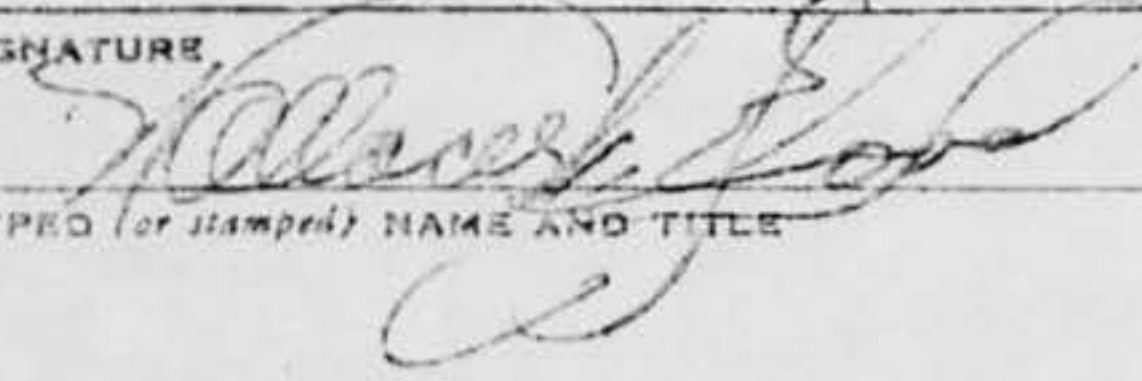
Ref your UFO Report, 25CADD-TAC-D-31, dtd 9 Apr 58. Astro checks and plots show white, bright, stationary object seen in early dawn was in almost exact position of planet Venus, now very bright in pre-sunrise sky. Believe this could have been determined and confirmed from checks in Source's area, Ref. para.'s 4b and 5, AFR 200-2, dtd 5 Feb 58.

For purposes of record request specific locations and names of persons reporting UFO's. Not given in your UFO report. HQ USAF besieged daily by persons throughout U.S. demanding AF findings on UFO reports alleged to have been submitted by them.

COORDINATION:

AFCIN-4E4 Dr. Miley DATE 15 April 58AFCIN-4E Mr. Post DATE 4/15/58

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| DATE 14 | TIME 1600 |
| MONTH APR | YEAR 58 |

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